TOWN OF WELLESLEY



MASSACHUSETTS

WARRANT for the SPECIAL TOWN MEETING October 2, 2018

ADVISORY COMMITTEE PUBLIC HEARING (WARRANT ARTICLES) September 5, 7:00 P.M. at Town Hall

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Norfolk, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Wellesley in the County of Norfolk,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of said Town of Wellesley to meet in the

Wellesley Middle School Auditorium 50 Kingsbury Street OCTOBER 2, 2018

at 7:00 P.M. at which time and place the following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members, in accordance with Chapter 202 of the Acts of 1932, as amended, and subject to referendum as provided therein:

ARTICLE 1 Board of Selectmen Town Reports

To see if the Town will vote to choose a Moderator to preside over said meeting and to receive reports of Town officers, boards and committees, including the Report of the Advisory Committee; or take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 2

Board of Selectmen & School Committee Ernest F. Upham School Feasibility Study & Schematic Design

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate, borrow or transfer from available funds, the sum of \$2,500,000 (TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS). or any other sum, to be expended under the direction of the School Building Committee and the Permanent Building Committee for a feasibility study to determine the preferred solution to address the physical and educational deficiencies of the Ernest F. Upham School located at 35 Wynnewood Road. Wellesley, MA, which solution may include, but not be limited to, renovation or rebuilding of the Ernest F. Upham School or the John D. Hardy School, or construction of a new school at another site, and schematic design of the selected solution, for which the Town may be eligible for a grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority. The MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any costs the Town incurs in connection with the feasibility study in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the Town and, for the purpose of meeting such appropriation, to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow said sum in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 7(1) of the Massachusetts General Laws, or any other enabling authority and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, and that any premium received by the Town upon the sale of any bonds or notes approved by this vote, less any such premium applied to the payment of the costs of the issuance of such bonds or notes, may be applied to payment of costs approved by this vote in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 20 of the Massachusetts General Laws, thereby reducing the amount to be borrowed-to pay such cost by a like amount; or to take any other action in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies in not less than two conspicuous places in the Town and by causing this warrant to be posted on the Town of Wellesley website (www.wellesleyma.gov) at least fourteen days before the date on which the meeting is to be held.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant and your doings thereon unto the Town Clerk at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 21st day of August 2018.

Board of Selectmen

Jack Morgan, Chair

Marjorie R. Freiman, Vice-Chair

Ellen F. Gibbs, Secretary

Elizabeth Sullivan Woods

Thomas H. Ulfelder

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A true copy, __

Attest: Constable, Town of Wellesley

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

Wellesley, MA August <u>\$\sigma_{\pi}\$</u>, 2018

I have this date caused the within warrant to be served by posting two copies in two conspicuous places in the Town, *i.e.*, the Town Hall and Wellesley Square, and causing the warrant to be posted to the Town of Wellesley website.